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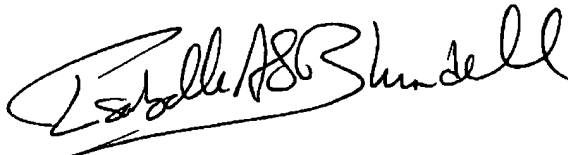
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Further to our phone conversation of today, attached please find a copy of the Reply to the Office Action dated May 7, 2002, which was mailed on November 4, 2002, and received in the Patent Office on November 7, 2002, a copy of the 3 mo Petition for Extension of Time and a copy of the stamped postcard.

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